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PATENT CASE NO. 10338/11

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	application:	)
Ludwi	g Böge et al.	) ) ) Group Art Unit: 2859
Serial No.: 10/612,720		) ) ) Examiner:  McCall, Yaritza Guadalupe
Filed: July 2, 2003		)
For:	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ATTACHING A SCALE ELEMENT	) ) )

## **AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action mailed August 6, 2004. Accordingly, please add claim 15 and amend claims 1 and 6 as follows:

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**DEPOSIT INFORMATION** ess Mail Label No.: EV 314910027 US BRINKS Date of Deposit: November 8, 2004 HOFER GILSON IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE &LIONE In re Appln. of: Ludwig Böge et al. Examiner: McCall, Yaritza Appln. No.: 10/612,720 Guadalupe Filed: July 2, 2003 Art Unit: 2859 METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ATTACHING For: A SCALE ELEMENT 10338/11 Attorney Docket No: Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 **TRANSMITTAL** Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Attached is/are: Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Amendment Ø 冈 Return Receipt Postcard Fee calculation: 冈 No additional fee is required. Small Entity. An extension fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17( ). An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below: Small Entity Not a Small Entity Claims Remaining Highest No. Present Add'l Fee Previously Paid For Add'I Fee or Rate After Amendment Extra Rate Total Minus x \$9= x \$18= Indep. Minus x 44 =x \$88= First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim +\$150= + \$300= Total \$ Total \$ Fee payment: A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ is enclosed. Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$ . A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose. Payment by credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Form PTO-2038 is attached). The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16  $\boxtimes$ and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. Respectfully submitted,

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